

## Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 20, 1902.

## LOCAL MATTERS

Fun rises tomorrow at 7:14 a. m. and sets 5:09 p. m. High water at 4:40 a. m. and 5:12 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section fair tonight; Tuesday warmer and cloudy; probably rain in the afternoon; light to fresh winds, becoming southeasterly.

**FINED TWENTY DOLLARS.**—A young colored man named James McKenney, from Washington, was arrested about half-past three o'clock yesterday morning on the charge of holding up a young white man named Jerry Gensmer. The prisoner was arraigned in the Police Court this morning when the evidence was to the effect that Gensmer, who is employed part of the night at the Globe Flour Mills, was on his way home and when near Fayette alley on Union street he was accosted by McKenney who held him at the point of a pistol. Later McKenney went to the waiting room of the Washington Ferry Company and attempted to enter, but was stopped by Mr. Forrester, the watchman. The negro had a small badge on his coat with the words "U. S. detective" on it. This he displayed to Mr. Forrester, who said, "You would gain him admittance. He was still refused and a telephone message was sent to the station house where Lieutenant Smith sent Officers Mayhugh and Sherwood to the ferry wharf where they found McKenney and placed him under arrest. The darkey told the officers he was a music and school teacher and had come to Alexandria to pay a visit to Alice Kitter, that he had been in company with Gensmer and with him had visited several houses, and that when his companion wanted him to go into unlicensed neighborhood he refused. He denied holding Gensmer up and said he had no pistol, nor was one found on him by the officers who searched him. He said he had no way to the waiting room of the ferry company to get out of the rain. He told in substance the same story to the Mayor this morning. He was fined \$20 and in default of payment will serve 30 days on the chain gang.

**PERSONAL.**—R. V. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's Church, was suffering with a cold yesterday afternoon and the service at night at that church was dispensed with. He is about today however.

Mr. Gordon Phillips, of this city, is seriously ill in Washington. He is suffering from typhoid fever.

Mrs. Hattie M. Dobbs, of Norfolk, is visiting Mrs. Andrew J. Greer, at her residence, 337 South Patrick street.

Bishop Gibson will pay an official visit to the Episcopal churches in this city on February 23.

Mr. B. Wheat continues quite sick at his home on Duke street.

Mrs. B. W. Hunter, of this city, and Miss Ellen Daingerfield, of Washington, are among the patronesses of the Southern Relief ball to be given at the Arlington, in Washington, on the 28th.

Mr. R. E. Lee, of Fairfax, is chairman of the floor committee.

**GEN. LEE'S BIRTHDAY.**—Yesterday was the ninety-fifth anniversary of the birth of General Robert Edward Lee. As the anniversary was observed in this city, throughout the State and throughout the entire South by banquets, military parades, and other memorial exercises. In this city the banks were closed and the public and most of the private schools gave holiday.

The weather has been fine and those who had "a day off" by virtue of the occasion enjoyed it by indulging in walks and visiting Washington and other near-by places. R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate Veterans will give their annual banquet in Old F-Fellow's Hall tonight in honor of the occasion. As stated Saturday, every arrangement has been made and all who propose to attend are anticipating spending a pleasant evening.

**FIRE IN THE POSTOFFICE.**—About half past four o'clock yesterday afternoon considerable excitement was caused by a fire which had been discovered in the basement of the building. An alarm was sounded and the fire apparatus was soon at the scene. Thick masses of smoke were pouring from the cellar windows and the south door, and it was almost impossible for the firemen to make reconnoissances. Every one and then one would enter only to beat a hasty retreat. Fire extinguishers were, however, brought to play in the basement and subsequently streams of water and in a short time the smoke became less dense and finally ceased altogether. When an exploration had been made it was found that some paper and trash in the basement had been ignited. No damage was done the building.

**ENTERTAINMENT.**—An entertainment for the benefit of the Athletic Association of the Episcopal High School, near this city, will be given in Liggett Hall, on Seminary Hill, tonight. An interesting program has been prepared and the affair promises to be a success throughout. Miss Helen Whitley, Miss Myra Lee Cuyler, Miss Maybelle Ewing, Miss Bertha M. Woodard, Miss Grace Cooke, and Miss Ramey, and Messrs. John H. Coomans, Floyd Featherston, William H. Conley, Harry B. Caton, Roger A. Walke, and Richard Wirt, will be among those who will participate. The performance will conclude with a sketch entitled "A Mouse Trap," played by Miss Cuyler, of this city, and Mr. Conley, of Washington.

**FUNERALS.**—The funeral of Mrs. Ma the C. McIntosh, wife of Mr. Harry McIntosh, who died Thursday evening, took place yesterday afternoon from her late home, No. 117 Prince street. The services were conducted by R. V. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's Church, and the interment was made in Bethel Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Thomas Parvise, whose death occurred Friday, took place from his late residence, No. 405 South Washington street yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. George L. Hunt, of the Baptist Church, officiated. The interment was made in the Methodist Protestant Cemetery.

**LIGHT INFANTRY FAIR.**—The preparations for the Alexandria Light Infantry fair which opens at the Armory Hall on Wednesday night have been nearly completed, and the indications are that it will prove eminently successful.

Eleven lodgers were at the station house Saturday night and seven last night.

**CHURCH SERVICES YESTERDAY.**—Rev. J. A. Jeffers, pastor of Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church preached the third of a series of six sermons last night entitled "Helpful Thoughts for Hungry Hearts." His subject was "Wanted.—Not Justice, but Pardon." A musical feature at the Methodist Episcopal Church South last night was a solo by Miss Josephine Fabier, of Washington. At St. Paul's Church in the morning "The Lord is My Shepherd." The attendance at all the churches was good.

**BOY FOUND.**—John, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. George Wilkins, crossed his parents much anxiety Saturday night and yesterday by mysterious disappearance. He was last seen by his father on the ice on Hunting creek about two o'clock Saturday afternoon. He was not found until last night when he was located in the house of a colored man on Shooter's Hill.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.**—Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVER'S signature is on each box. 25c.

**Child Worth Millions.**—"My child is worth millions to me," says Mrs. Mary Bird of Elizabeth, Pa. "yet I would have lost her by crop had I not purchased a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure." One Minute Cough Cure is sure cure for coughs, croup and throat and lung troubles. An absolutely safe cough cure which acts with entire safety. The little ones like the taste and remember how often it helped them. Every family should have a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure handy. At this season especially it may be needed suddenly. For sale by E. S. Leadbetter & Sons.

**LOCAL BREVITIES.**—An original pension of \$8 per month has been granted to Susan Carter, of this city.

Jerry Arnold, a well-known colored man, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 1002 Oronoco street.

There were several copious showers of rain Saturday night, followed by a northwest wind and clearing weather. Yesterday was bright and cool with a stiff breeze. The temperature has been higher today and the skies clear.

The members of the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum will tender a complimentary literary and musical entertainment to their friends in their hall on Duke street tonight. Some of the best amateur talent of this city and Washington will participate.

William H. Farrell and Bernard Willows, hucksters, were arrested in Washington Saturday charged with violations of the food law and on suspicion of larceny. Under the pretense of being farmers, and living near Arlington, it is said the prisoners sold rotten eggs, which they claimed were fresh from their own henhouse, but which were bad.

Miss Lulu Bathbone, Miss Civalier, Mr. Conley and Mr. H. B. Caton on Saturday evening participated in a concert in the new hall at Fairfax, which was erected by Lieut. Gov. Joseph E. Willard. The proceeds of the entertainment will be used for the benefit of the piano fund.

Officers Beech and Davis arrested Ike Edney, colored, this morning. He is charged with assaulting his sister some time ago, and had been dodging the police. Edney got into a row last night and had emerged second-best.

A young man named Eugene Powell, employed in Mr. M. Schuler's store, on upper King street, placed his right hand with a meat hook Saturday night, inflicting a painful wound. He was attended by Dr. Jones.

Judge, the young son of Dr. Jones, Todd, after attending on Hunting Creek Saturday afternoon, fell and broke his right leg below the knee. He was carried to his home, where Dr. Arthur Snowden attended him.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington Saturday to Thomas J. Walsh, New York city, and Vol. V. Argente, of Omaha, Neb., and to K. K. Ingber, Fort Myer, and Robert B. Hailson.

The annual meeting of the Mary Custis Lee Chapter, No. 7, United Daughters of the Confederacy, was held at the residence of Miss Emily Mahaffey, No. 703 Duke street, this afternoon.

Henry Stevens, colored, was before the Mayor this morning on a charge of assaulting James Roe, also colored. The complainant did not appear and the accused was dismissed.

Two boys discovered two large snakes near the old canal basin yesterday. They had crawled out for a sun bath. One succeeded in capturing it, but the other was killed.

Mr. Augustus Dean, while at work at his place, near the Old Dominion Glass Works, on Saturday, had one of his feet seriously mashed by a piece of timber falling on it.

There is nothing new to report on the river front. The schooner Ella Hill, Captain Dixon, was towed down this morning. She will return with a load of oysters.

The four-year-old son of Mr. Simon Devers, who lives in the southwestern section of the city, fell from a fence Saturday evening and broke his collar bone.

The third squadron of the 11th U. S. Cavalry, stationed at Fort Meyer, will leave tomorrow for New York, on their way to the Philippines.

The remains of young Ralph Beckwell, who died on Sunday of last week at El Paso, Texas, were brought here today for interment.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria Apartment Company was held in this city today for the election of officers.

Yesterday was the feast of the Holy Name of Jesus, and was appropriately observed in St. Mary's Church, in this city.

**Dr. Bull's Celebrated Pills** cures many ills. One pill a dose. Box, 50 pills, 10 cts. Cure Constipation, Liver Troubles, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Impure Blood, and Poor Blood, Female Complaints, Stomach and Bowel Disorders. Dr. Bull's Pills never gripe. Sold by Richard Gibson and all druggists.

**THREE YOUNG MEN** wanted for ROAD POSITION; \$9, \$12 and \$15 a week to start. Grand chance for advancement. Address with stamp. COMMERCIAL, this office. 1c

**FOR SALE—THREE-STORY FRAME DWELLING**, 427 South Washington street, all modern improvements, large parlors, good location. Apply to R. W. FENCH, 417 and 419 King street. [a10] 1c

**YOUNG LADY** stenographer desires position at small salary; if order to gain experience in work. Address STENOGRAPHER, this office. [a20] 3c

**NOTICE.**—The ladies of the Associated Charities' committee on the Old Ladies' Home will meet at Miss Burke's Studio at 10:30 a. m. on TUESDAY, 21st. A full attendance is hoped for.

**F. M. BURKE** Secretary. By order of the Chairman.

**FLOWER POT.**—A full line of Flower Pots for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

**HANDSOME PEN ETCHED TUMBLESS** while they last 75c dozen. THE E. J. MILLER CO.

**CANNED PEAS.**—Small and extra small CANNED PEAS for sale at reduced prices by J. C. MILBURN.

**NAVY BEANS** just received by J. C. MILBURN.

## FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.

## SENATE.

Mr. Allison made his first appearance on the floor of the Senate this morning, since the holiday adjournment. He was warmly congratulated upon his reelection.

Mr. Lodge, chairman of the Committee on the Philippines, reported the Philippines tariff revenue bill, and gave notice that on Tuesday at 2 o'clock he would call up the bill and urge its passage.

He then would delay until tomorrow a discussion of the bill, but he would at this time state that he had no intention of unduly pressing it. He believed there was a desire on the part of the minority to obstruct its consideration, but he recognized the desire for a thorough debate, and would give proper opportunity for such.

Mr. R. Willis presented a report of the minority in the form of a substitute bill. He gave notice that he would tomorrow call up Mr. Lodge's statement by him. Both the bill and the substitute were read.

The ship subsidy bill was reported to the Committee on Commerce and went to the calendar.

The House bill extending the franchise privilege to Mrs. Ida S. McKinley was passed.

In introducing a bill to prevent transportation of deleterious food products and for the appointment of a pure food commissioner, Mr. Cullom wished to state that the measure was introduced by request.

The House invalid pensions bill was favorably reported from the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Platt in objecting to various bills introduced providing for increasing the clerical force of the Senate announced that he believed the cost of the clerical and official force was now greatly in excess of the salary and mileage of Senators.

Mr. Spooner and Mr. Gallinger united in condemning the present alleged lax methods of passing upon such measures and advocated retrenchment.

HOUSE. Mr. Grosvenor asked unanimous consent to print in the Record the program of the memorial exercises to be given in honor of the late President McKinley.

Mr. Cannon, chairman of the appropriation Committee, moved that the House take up the urgent deficiency bill.

Mr. Sherman took the chair. Mr. Cannon began the debate with an explanation of the measure.

The first squabble of the day took place over that action of the bill appropriating half a million dollars for an army post six miles from Manila.

Mr. Richardson contended that as there is no law on the statute books providing for such a post, Mr. Cannon had no right to insert that section in the measure.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Eleven prisoners escaped from the Federal prison at McKell's near Tacoma, Wash., on Sunday, by burrowing through a cement floor into the air pipes.

Mrs. C. W. Holmes, of Chicago, widow of Dick Emery, known as the Utah Silver King, is building a magnificent residence here, and in a social way is entertaining handsomely. Mr. Emery left his wife a fortune estimated at \$200,000. She was known throughout the West as the Diamond Queen.

Miss Sophia Zolov was shot on the street at Cleveland, Ohio, by Alexander Moore, a clerk in a drug store, last night. Two bullets took effect. Moore would not be held to bail. Moore went immediately to his home and took poison, from the effect of which he died in about an hour. He was in love with the girl but his attentions were coldly received by her.

President Roosevelt today signed a draft on the Secretary of Treasury for \$750,000, the value of the silver bullion seized as lost by the U. S. Marines at Tientsin. The draft will be turned over to the Secretary of State who will cash it and transmit the money to Peking through Minister Wu.

The plant of the H. W. Water Co., at Memphis, one of the largest sugar refineries in the South, has been destroyed by fire. The loss will probably reach \$250,000.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

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**WHOLESALE PRICES IN ALEXANDRIA**

Flour Extra..... 2 75    3 15  
Family..... 3 50    3 90  
Fancy brand..... 4 00    4 50  
Wheat, longberry..... 0 70    0 75  
Mixed..... 0 68    0 74  
Fruit..... 0 70    0 74  
Damp and tough..... 0 70    0 60  
Corn, white..... 0 65    0 68  
Mixed..... 0 63    0 66  
Yellow..... 0 60    0 63  
Corn Meal..... 0 65    0 68

## Fountain Pens.

The COLLEGE, \$1.00.  
The WASHINGTON, \$1.50.  
The FRANKLIN, \$2.00.

## YOU NEED ONE.

**R. L. CARNE & CO.,**

703 King Street.

## SPECIAL SALE OF BEAUTIFUL

Imported China and

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Pictures, Fancy Tables, Bureaus, Figure Cases, Fancy Baskets, and great variety of Imported Novelties at

**French's Bookstore,**

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Do not fail to inspect these beautiful goods. Have decided to close them out at price of importation rather than carry over another season. Just the thing for wedding presents, exchange prizes, etc. A rare chance to secure Fine Goods at FIRST COST.

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## DRY GOODS.



It's no use to waste words in pretending to sell you \$1.00 goods at 39c. You would not believe us if we did. Every statement we make is a sacred pledge to the public, and those who hesitate to respond to our advertisement are the losers. Hundreds of people have found that they get here just what they want. Fine Goods, Cheap Goods—Goods for working people. Goods for rich people. Goods for big people. Goods for little people. See Men's Underwear in our window. It tells its own story.



This is The People's Store and you will meet some of your friends here.

Fine Tailoring Department.

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KING AND PITT STREETS.

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## Slaughter Sale

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WHITE

Bed Spreads.

Your choice at 50c.

Second Lot 250.

Your choice at 75c. They are

worth double the money. This sale

is strictly at

Cash Prices.

**E. Eichberg and Son.**

508 King Street,

Alexandria, Va.

## Some Grocery Specials.

Every Article a Money Saver.

Sweet Clover, Elgin Creamery Butter, 25c.

1 lb. prints, 20c.

Choice Virginia Roll Butter, per lb. 20c.

Vaporized Peas, per lb. 19c.

Choice Sun Dried Apples, 4 lbs., 25c.

Surfak Potatoes, white and mealy, 25c.

Extra Fine Sliced Potatoes, 25c.

Extra Large Creamery Butters, per lb. 25c.

Super Krant, freshly made, white clean and nice, per quart, 25c.

**W. P. Woolls & Sons.**

Foyal and Wolfe Streets

**NOTICE.**—F. F. LEE CAMP—R. E. Lee

Camp, Confederate Veteran, will assemble at Camp Hill, MONDAY evening,

January 20, at 7 o'clock, to attend supper

given on occasion of General R. E. Lee's

Birthday.

By order of the Commander,

E. H. O'BRIEN, Adjutant.

**AN INTELLIGENT YOUTH** who wishes

to learn printing can secure employ-

ment at this office.

**NO. 1 FAT MACKEREL** for sale by

J. C. MILBURN.

**WHITMORE'S SHOE POLISHES**

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## WHY IS IT?

People come to this store Who never came before; People who always came, Come now the more.

It's no use to waste words in pretending to sell you \$1.00 goods at 39c. You would not believe us if we did. Every statement we make is a sacred pledge to the public, and those who hesitate to respond to our advertisement are the losers. Hundreds of people have found that they get here just what they want. Fine Goods, Cheap Goods—Goods for working people. Goods for rich people. Goods for big people. Goods for little people. See Men's Underwear in our window. It tells its own story.

Fin Silk, 4c. Roman Flax, 4c. 50 colors Silkatia, 4c. Our own Kid Gloves, 69c. You pay \$1.00 in many places for nothing better. Extra Good White Kids, 75c. Undressed Kids, gray and black, \$1.00; real good ones. Men's White Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, 10c. You know that means perfect fit and good wear. We sell more Children's Hose than any store in this city. You can't buy them elsewhere. We have sole agency of this factory—2 for 25c and the best you have seen. It makes no difference how much or how little you want, you get the same polite attention here.

This is The People's Store and you will meet some of your friends here.

Fine Tailoring Department.

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Great reductions on Blankets,

Comforts, Men's Winter Underwear,

Ladies' Winter Underwear, and

Children's Winter Underwear and

Men's Shirts. Now is the time to

buy winter goods and save ex-

actly twenty per cent. from former

prices.

**Men's Shirts.**

Men's \$1.50 Man's Colored Stiff Bosom

Shirts reduced to \$1.12

Men's \$1 Colored Stiff Bosom Shirts re-

duced to 79c.

Men's 50c Colored Stiff Bosom Shirts re-

duced to 40c.

**Blankets.**

White, Red and Gray.

75c Blankets reduced to 59c.

\$1 Blankets reduced to 79c.

\$1.50 Blankets reduced to \$1.19.

\$2.50 Blankets reduced to \$1.98.

\$4 Blankets reduced to \$3.19.

\$5 Blankets reduced to \$3.98.

\$6 Blankets reduced to \$4.75.

**Comforts.**

75c Comforts reduced to 59c.

\$1 Comforts reduced to 79c.

\$1.50 Comforts reduced to \$1.19.

\$2 Comforts reduced to \$1.59.